

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Municipal Administration & Urban Development – Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation - Administrative sanction for the work of beach front development opposite to Lawson's bay colony, Visakhapatnam – Orders – Issued.

**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (W1)
DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No.346

Dated:13.03.2013
Read the following:

From the Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation,
Visakhapatnam, Letter Rc.No.01/GVMC/EE-II, Dated:26.01.2013.

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ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, has stated that, the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, has proposed to develop another beach front as the day by day the visitors/tourists are visiting the Visakhapatnam City and being a Municipal Corporation, it is essential to keep the city clean and green. The main tourism locations are at the side of costal area. So, the proposal is made for development of Lawson's bay colony beach front on par with existing beach front from R.K. Beach to Park hotel.

2. The Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, has furnished the following brief details of the proposed project:

1. MVP Gedda is the final 1.350 km stretch of the Hanumanthawaka Gedda which is being regularized upto MVP Bus-stand.
2. The drain from MVP Bus-stand to Pedawalthair Beach is expected to convening DWF of 4 MLD and it will increase to 8 MLD in near future.
3. Hence, there is a need to divert this DWF to the nearby Appughar STP (within a less than 1 km) from Lawson's Bay Bridge near e-Seva by constructing a sump and connected to the existing pumping main in the premises of e-Seva.
4. The above project is to prevent the untreated DWF from getting discharged into Bay of Bengal. This needs the MVP gedda to be regularized for which RCC trough / retaining walls are needed to be constructed which costs about Rs.5.00 crores. The construction of sump and new pumps for lifting DWF.
5. The beach parallel to the Beach Road connecting from Lawson's Bay Bridge to Kurupam Junction is unattended so far by local authorities for any development. There is about 10 acres of

vacant land including gedda mouth. The vacant land of about 5 acres can be developed for the local public (MVP, Lawson's Bay and other nearby colonies) and tourist for recreation and jogging for all the groups.

6. the above Beach development will require a formation of road over the short length on gedda opposite to the Kamat's Parcel Counter on the 100 feet road to from a loop of the walking track and cycling track. Landscaping and electrification will also be required for enhancing the attraction to the visitors. Beatification of the compound walls of the burial grounds near the RTC Depot on the way to the proposed Beach from Kurupam Junction is also needed.

3. He has further submitted that discussions held on the proposal with the Chairman, Visakhapatnam Port Trust in principal and it is mutually agreed to take up the works With the 51% of the taxes payable by the Visakhapatnam Port Trust to the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation and same has been brought to the notice of the Special Officer, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation and got approval vide Council Resolution No.35/12, Dated:22.11.2012, for forwarding to the Government for according administrative sanction.

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4. Thus, the following estimates are prepared for 8 works costing to Rs.13.30 Crores with the consultation of Civil Engineering Department, Andhra University.

Sl. No.	Name of the work	Estimate Rs. In Lakhs
1.	M.V.P. Gedda Regularization	Rs.500.00 lakhs
2.	DWF diversion by pumping	Rs.35.00 lakhs
3.	Construction of Box culvert as approach road Beach from Lawson's bay	Rs.70.00 lakhs
4.	Earth filling and site preparation over 2 acres of vacant land and retaining wall for beach protection	Rs.220.00 lakhs
5.	Formation of B.T. roads and walker track	Rs.200.00 lakhs
6.	Landscape development electrification water supply and other utilities	Rs.100.00 lakhs
7.	Beatification Burial grounds in the vicinity	Rs.60.00 lakhs
8.	Others & Consultancy charges	Rs.145.00 lakhs
	Total	Rs.1330.00 lakhs or Rs.13.30 crores

5. The Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation has, therefore, requested the Government, to accord administrative sanction for the above (8) works costing Rs.13.30 crores, for the development of beach front

opposite to Lawson's Bay Colony, meeting the expenditure from the 51% of the taxes payable by the Visakhapatnam Port Trust to the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation duly permitting to call for the tenders for (8) works separately.

6. After careful examination of the matter, in terms of powers conferred Section-129 of Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Act, 1955. Government hereby accord administrative sanction for the above (8) works of the development of Lawson's Bay Colony Beach Front, on par with the existing beach front from R.K.Beach to Park Hotel, in Visakhapatnam City, with an estimated amount of Rs.13.00 crores, meeting the expenditure from the 51% of the taxes payable by the Visakhapatnam Port Trust to the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, duly permitting to call for the tenders for (8) works separately.

7. The Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**B.SAM BOB
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
The Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam,
Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam,

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The Commissioner & Director of Municipal
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The Vice Chairman, Visakhapatnam Port
Trust, Visakhapatnam.
The OSD to Minister for MA&UD
The P.s. to Principal Secretary (UD) MA&UD Dept.

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SECTION OFFICER